

Regular Session, 2010

SENATE BILL NO. 512

BY SENATOR MURRAY

PUBLIC UTILITIES. Increases the limit under which the New Orleans Sewerage and Water Board may perform construction work for its public systems. (gov sig)

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 33:4085(A), relative to the Sewerage and Water Board of New
3 Orleans; to increase the limit under which the board may perform construction work
4 for its public systems; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for related
5 matters.

6 Notice of intention to introduce this Act has been published.

7 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

8 Section 1. R.S. 33:4085(A) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

9 §4085. Construction work; letting contracts

10 A. The Sewerage and Water Board of New Orleans may do construction
11 work on its public systems of water, sewerage, and drainage, with its own forces in
12 those cases where the amount of work involved in the particular project does not
13 exceed a total value of one hundred **fifty** thousand dollars.

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15 Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not
16 signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature
17 by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If

1 vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become
2 effective on the day following such approval.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part
of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Ann S. Brown.

DIGEST

Murray (SB 512)

Present law authorizes the New Orleans S&WB to perform construction work on its public systems of water, sewerage, and drainage, in cases where the amount of work involved does not exceed \$100,000.

Proposed law retains present law and increases that limit to \$150,000.

Effective upon signature of the governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Amends R.S. 33:4085(A))